

**Table VIII.B.2 Percent of private-sector employees in establishments that offer health insurance by average wage quartiles and State: United States, 2015**

Division and State	Total	Quartile 1 Average Wage	Quartile 2 Average Wage	Quartile 3 Average Wage	Quartile 4 Average Wage
United States	83.8%	65.8%	81.5%	91.1%	96.4%
New England:					
Connecticut	86.3%	62.5%	88.3%	95.6%	98.6%
Maine	77.2%	53.3%	72.5%	87.9%	95.1%
Massachusetts	89.3%	71.7%	89.7%	96.3%	99.0%
New Hampshire	84.5%	61.7%	86.5%	93.3%	96.4%
Rhode Island	86.7%	67.1%	85.7%	95.2%	98.7%
Vermont	77.5%	51.9%	80.4%	87.6%	89.9%
Middle Atlantic:					
New Jersey	87.3%	66.2%	90.7%	93.7%	98.1%
New York	86.8%	68.1%	86.6%	94.6%	98.0%
Pennsylvania	86.0%	62.2%	86.9%	95.3%	99.2%
East North Central:					
Illinois	83.0%	69.4%	77.4%	90.7%	94.4%
Indiana	83.0%	66.4%	78.6%	92.0%	94.7%
Michigan	82.0%	59.3%	78.5%	94.6%	95.4%
Ohio	85.4%	64.4%	84.7%	94.5%	97.6%
Wisconsin	83.6%	64.6%	78.3%	94.1%	97.4%
West North Central:					
Iowa	82.2%	58.7%	87.2%	85.7%	95.9%
Kansas	84.6%	64.4%	84.3%	96.0%	93.0%
Minnesota	83.6%	65.9%	78.1%	92.6%	97.7%
Missouri	83.8%	67.3%	77.9%	92.8%	97.0%
Nebraska	78.9%	63.8%	70.5%	84.2%	96.6%
North Dakota	84.4%	65.5%	83.6%	94.6%	93.5%
South Dakota	80.5%	62.6%	70.4%	92.8%	95.9%
South Atlantic:					
Delaware	85.1%	62.4%	90.9%	87.5%	98.0%
District of Columbia	92.6%	77.5%	95.2%	99.0%	97.4%
Florida	81.6%	66.0%	79.8%	92.8%	92.5%
Georgia	83.1%	69.9%	78.4%	89.5%	94.6%
Maryland	84.5%	67.3%	85.2%	90.7%	94.3%
North Carolina	82.5%	66.0%	78.0%	86.7%	98.8%
South Carolina	83.1%	62.7%	81.0%	92.4%	96.2%
Virginia	85.7%	65.5%	84.0%	94.6%	98.1%
West Virginia	84.0%	70.9%	79.8%	87.3%	97.4%
East South Central:					
Alabama	87.0%	70.9%	92.3%	88.5%	96.2%
Kentucky	85.6%	69.0%	84.2%	92.1%	96.5%
Mississippi	80.0%	63.0%	74.6%	85.9%	95.9%
Tennessee	82.2%	68.7%	74.2%	90.8%	94.9%
West South Central:					
Arkansas	83.4%	75.8%	80.1%	81.6%	95.8%
Louisiana	79.8%	65.9%	71.5%	85.2%	96.2%
Oklahoma	82.2%	58.3%	81.7%	92.2%	96.7%
Texas	83.3%	68.7%	80.0%	88.5%	95.8%
Mountain:					
Arizona	82.4%	66.0%	82.9%	85.7%	95.0%
Colorado	82.8%	67.0%	82.8%	86.5%	94.7%
Idaho	71.8%	50.3%	63.6%	79.2%	92.6%
Montana	66.6%	36.5%	67.4%	71.9%	89.8%
Nevada	89.1%	70.9%	91.1%	99.0%	94.8%
New Mexico	76.4%	66.3%	65.9%	79.5%	93.9%
Utah	81.9%	60.6%	82.6%	88.2%	94.9%
Wyoming	72.6%	44.3%	68.7%	85.9%	91.2%
Pacific:					
Alaska	76.0%	50.4%	81.4%	79.6%	91.7%
California	83.7%	65.6%	79.2%	91.9%	97.9%
Hawaii	97.7%	92.9%	99.2%	99.7%	99.0%
Oregon	80.2%	54.0%	81.7%	87.2%	97.6%
Washington	80.5%	58.5%	79.7%	86.6%	96.9%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2015 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

Note: Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the Technical Appendix.

**Table VIII.B.2 Standard errors for percent of private-sector employees in establishments that offer health insurance by average wage quartiles and State: United States, 2015**

Division and State	Total	Quartile 1 Average Wage	Quartile 2 Average Wage	Quartile 3 Average Wage	Quartile 4 Average Wage
United States	0.24%	0.80%	0.59%	0.37%	0.23%
New England:					
Connecticut	1.41%	5.00%	2.27%	1.28%	0.82%
Maine	1.83%	6.42%	4.57%	2.91%	1.69%
Massachusetts	1.06%	4.25%	2.27%	1.48%	0.56%
New Hampshire	1.57%	5.04%	2.77%	1.91%	1.60%
Rhode Island	1.43%	4.96%	3.46%	1.59%	0.75%
Vermont	1.71%	5.61%	3.77%	3.43%	2.90%
Middle Atlantic:					
New Jersey	1.38%	6.61%	2.00%	1.93%	0.73%
New York	0.90%	3.09%	2.03%	1.30%	0.72%
Pennsylvania	1.10%	4.44%	2.20%	1.36%	0.37%
East North Central:					
Illinois	1.53%	4.97%	3.24%	2.31%	1.92%
Indiana	1.53%	4.96%	3.74%	2.25%	1.64%
Michigan	1.79%	4.82%	4.56%	2.02%	1.47%
Ohio	1.42%	4.36%	3.35%	1.72%	0.83%
Wisconsin	1.39%	4.74%	3.45%	1.78%	1.02%
West North Central:					
Iowa	1.51%	4.97%	2.52%	2.90%	1.61%
Kansas	1.63%	5.07%	3.21%	1.62%	3.23%
Minnesota	1.46%	4.80%	3.38%	2.38%	1.30%
Missouri	1.35%	3.94%	3.89%	1.89%	1.08%
Nebraska	1.50%	4.74%	4.86%	3.03%	1.32%
North Dakota	1.32%	4.51%	3.09%	1.67%	2.00%
South Dakota	1.59%	4.82%	4.04%	2.19%	1.45%
South Atlantic:					
Delaware	1.25%	4.55%	2.34%	3.05%	0.83%
District of Columbia	1.05%	4.55%	1.56%	0.44%	1.04%
Florida	1.09%	3.07%	2.73%	1.83%	1.95%
Georgia	1.67%	7.33%	3.33%	2.77%	1.54%
Maryland	1.50%	4.86%	3.17%	3.21%	1.61%
North Carolina	1.34%	4.50%	3.21%	2.69%	0.65%
South Carolina	1.33%	4.87%	3.48%	2.20%	1.32%
Virginia	1.20%	4.25%	2.88%	1.35%	0.65%
West Virginia	1.47%	4.76%	3.31%	3.40%	1.05%
East South Central:					
Alabama	1.72%	4.08%	3.57%	2.99%	1.60%
Kentucky	1.27%	4.64%	3.10%	2.07%	1.09%
Mississippi	1.62%	5.39%	4.43%	3.11%	1.89%
Tennessee	1.55%	5.11%	4.38%	2.51%	1.45%
West South Central:					
Arkansas	1.54%	4.75%	3.52%	3.86%	1.56%
Louisiana	1.88%	5.27%	4.49%	4.13%	1.42%
Oklahoma	1.39%	4.82%	3.41%	1.81%	1.06%
Texas	1.05%	2.90%	3.12%	1.77%	1.02%
Mountain:					
Arizona	1.59%	4.85%	3.80%	4.04%	1.71%
Colorado	1.55%	5.15%	3.54%	2.71%	1.47%
Idaho	2.16%	5.27%	5.94%	3.99%	2.66%
Montana	2.44%	5.98%	5.98%	5.31%	2.61%
Nevada	1.08%	4.09%	2.36%	0.54%	1.36%
New Mexico	1.71%	4.54%	4.87%	3.59%	1.92%
Utah	1.60%	5.15%	3.35%	2.86%	1.74%
Wyoming	2.12%	6.31%	4.94%	3.87%	2.46%
Pacific:					
Alaska	1.87%	5.41%	4.15%	3.87%	3.06%
California	0.86%	2.77%	2.25%	1.12%	0.46%
Hawaii	0.52%	2.09%	0.42%	0.24%	0.45%
Oregon	1.64%	5.20%	3.74%	2.72%	1.19%
Washington	1.56%	5.38%	4.42%	2.87%	1.41%

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